

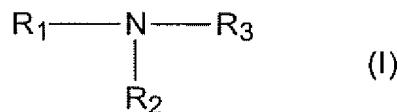
AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1.-25. (Canceled)

26. (Currently Amended) A liquid for electrophoretic display comprising at least alkylpolyetheramine having a structural unit represented by the following Formula (I), a polyoxyethylene oxypropylene block polymer having a structural unit represented by the following Formula (II), one or more kinds of fine particles and a dispersion liquid medium, wherein a content of the alkylpolyetheramine is 1.0 to 200% by weight based on a content of fine particles:



in Formula (I) described above, R_1 is a saturated hydrocarbon group or an unsaturated hydrocarbon group; R_2 is $(CH_2CH_2O)^xH$; R_3 is $(CH_2CH_2O)^yH$; and x and y are positive numbers;



in Formula (II) described above, p and q are positive numbers.

27. (Canceled)

28. (Previously Presented) The liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 26, wherein the polyoxyethylene oxypropylene block polymer has an average molecular weight of 1,000 to 4,000.

29. (Canceled)

30. (Previously Presented) The liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 26, wherein an amount of ethylene oxide in the polyoxyethylene oxypropylene block polymer is 50% by weight or less.

31. (Canceled)

32. (Previously Presented) The liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 26, wherein a content of the polyoxyethylene oxypropylene block polymer is 0.01 to 30% by weight based on the total amount of the display liquid.

33.-34. (Canceled)

35. (Previously Presented) The liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 26, wherein the fine particles are subjected to surface treatment for making the fine particles lipophilic.

36.-37. (Canceled)

38. (Currently Amended) The liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim [[26]] 35, wherein the surface treatment for making the fine particles lipophilic is carried out with a coupling agent.

39.-40. (Canceled)

41. (Previously Presented) The liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 38, wherein the coupling agent is at least one agent selected from the group consisting of titanate base coupling agents, aluminum base coupling agents and silane base coupling agents.

42.-43. (Canceled)

44. (Currently Amended) The liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim [[26]] 35, wherein a surface functional group of the fine particles subjected to the surface treatment for making the fine particles lipophilic is an alkoxy carbonyl group.

45.-49. (Canceled)

50. (Previously Presented) The liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 26, wherein at least one kind of the fine particles is polymer fine particles containing a colorant, an organic pigment or an inorganic pigment.

51.-52. (Canceled)

53. (Previously Presented) The liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 50, wherein a structural component of the polymer fine particles containing a colorant is a cross-linked acryl base resin.

54.-55. (Canceled)

56. (Previously Presented) The liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 26, wherein the fine particles have a mean particle size of 0.05 to 20 μm .

57. (Canceled)

58. (Previously Presented) The liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 26, further comprising a dispersant.

59.-60. (Canceled)

61. (Currently Amended) The liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim [[26]] 58, wherein the dispersant is a nonionic or anionic surfactant.

62.-63. (Canceled)

64. (Currently Amended) The liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim [[26]] 58, wherein a content of the dispersant is 0.01 to 50% by weight based on the total amount of the display liquid.

65.-66. (Canceled)

67. (Currently Amended) A medium for electrophoretic display wherein the liquid for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 26 is filled into each independent structures of microcapsules or cells in the medium.

68.-69. (Canceled)

70. (Previously Presented) The medium for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 67, wherein in the structure of the cell filled with the liquid for electrophoretic display, an electrode part and a cell part that the liquid for electrophoretic display touches are subjected to hydrophilization treatment selected from the group consisting of ozone treatment, plasma treatment, corona treatment, UV itoro treatment, sputtering treatment, polymer layer-forming treatment, inorganic layer-forming treatment and organic or inorganic hybrid layer-forming treatment.

71.-72. (Canceled)

73. (Previously Presented) The medium for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 67, wherein the microcapsule has a size of 10 to 200 μm .

74.-75. (Canceled)

76. (Previously Presented) The medium for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 67, wherein the microcapsule has flexibility and is less liable to generate a space in arranging the microcapsules.

77.-78. (Canceled)

79. (Previously Presented) The medium for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 67, wherein the independent cells have a volume of 1×10^{-9} to 1×10^{-3} ml.

80.-81. (Canceled)

82. (Previously Presented) An electrophoretic display device comprising a pair of substrates in which a light-transmitting electrode is formed on at least one substrate and the medium for electrophoretic display as described in Claim 67 interposed between the above substrates.

83. (Canceled)